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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

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Sir:

In connection with the above-referenced application and the Notice of Allowance mailed October 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Discussion begin on page 4 of this paper.